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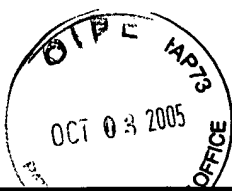
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In re Application of:

Claude Chappert et al.

Application No.: 10/825,454

Filed: 4/14/04

For: **MAGNETIC ETCHING PROCESS,
ESPECIALLY FOR MAGNETIC
OR MAGNETO-OPTIC
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Dear Commissioner:

On September 26, 2005, the undersigned received a telephone call from the Examiner assigned to the above-identified application inquiring if a response to an Office Action mailed March 23, 2005 had been submitted.

In response to the query, after inspecting the file and checking the firm-wide docket for an entry on May 23, 2005, the due date which would have been docketed inasmuch as the Examiner indicated that a two-month response due date had been set forth in the Action, the undersigned informed the Examiner that, in fact, no such Office Action had been received.

The undersigned then checked the PAIR system in order to obtain a copy of the Office Action mentioned by the Examiner. In this connection, although the transaction history (Exhibit 1) shows an Ex-Parte Quayle Action was mailed on March 23, 2005, as shown in the image file wrapper page attached hereto (Exhibit 2), the Ex-Parte Quayle Action is not available for download.

Also attached is a copy of the relevant pages of Applicant's attorneys' firm-wide docket for May 23, 2005, which has been sorted by client number, matter number (Exhibit 3). The 10/825,454

print-out (page 32) includes a space for an entry for client/matter 15675.P322C which would have been made, had the May 23, 2005 Office Action been received. In this connection, Applicant notes that Applicant is unable to provide a response to the outstanding Office Action, since the outstanding Office Action is unavailable. It is noted that the undersigned requested that the Examiner provide a copy of the Office Action. However, the Examiner indicated that he was unable to do so.

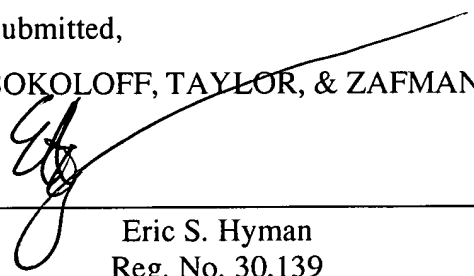
In the event any petition is required for consideration of this paper, Applicant hereby so petitions. Additionally, since any such petition became necessary due to no fault of Applicant, request for a refund is hereby made.

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR, & ZAFMAN

Dated: September 28, 2005

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03-04-2005	Ex Parte Quayle Action
12-04-2004	IFW TSS Processing by Tech Center Complete
12-04-2004	Case Docketed to Examiner in GAU
04-14-2004	Preliminary Amendment
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06-28-2004	Notice Mailed--Application Incomplete--Filing Date Assigned
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Title IMPROVEMENTS TO DEVICES FOR EMITTING OF RECEIVING SIGNALS ENCRYPTED BY DETERMINISTIC CHAOS, AND A TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, IN PARTICULAR A RADIO TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, INCLUDING

→ 15675, P322C [MISSING]

15675.P381

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Next office action due; if not received, file request for status

Title NOVEL ANTIOXIDANTS, PREPARATION PROCESSES AND THEIR USES - UTILITY

15675.P561

015914

Response due missing parts of application.

Title A CONTROL DEVICE FOR MOVING A VEHICLE CLOSURE ELEMENT

15685.P146xJP

Japan

Exam request deadline (hard deadline is 5/30/2005)

Title SELECTIVE POWER CONTROL MESSAGING - JAPAN

20820.G106

Canada

Class 9

Foreign deadline to file opposition against **ION** based on our client's mark: **LON**. Applicant is **Sharp Kabushiki Kaisha** Also Trading as **Sharp**. (hard deadline is 5/30/2005)

Title LON INTERNATIONAL WATCH

20820.T071USA42

527342

Deadline to file statement of use or 1st request for extension of time

Title ECHELON (US SM) - CLASS 42